

LOCAL NEWS

Dr. JOE ROGERS has lost his fine race colt which was born the other day at Lusk & Park's stable.

The road overseers report that the roads are beginning to dry up, and travel will be all right in a few days.

Mr. W. P. DEVER says that it will be four or five days before the ground out his way will be dry enough to plow.

An uncomfortable wind blew from the north on Saturday morning which boded no good. In the afternoon it was warm again.

The funeral of Mr. Hahnke, the octogenarian, who died out at Long Point Friday morning early, took place Saturday at Zionsville.

ALTHOUGH the measles has been in the city for several weeks, a number of which were reported as black measles, there have been no fatal cases yet.

The movement on the part of the city council to establish an electric light plant in Brenham is one which will make all of the aldermen very popular among their constituents.

Two boys out hunting south of town a day or two ago were observed standing a few feet apart snapping their guns at each other. This is the way a great many accidents occur. Boys cannot be too careful.

H. E. SHELLEY, Esq., one of the managers of the Confederate Home at Austin, has written a letter to Mr. Beauregard Bryan, returning thanks for the money raised for the benefit of the home by the presentation of the amateur play, "Among the Breakers."

PROF. RANDOLPH, the young gentleman from Huntsville who succeeded Prof. R. E. Binford as teacher of the schools out at Independence, has thrown up his job. He resigned on Friday evening and was in the city on Saturday on his way back to Huntsville. There was no trouble between him and the patrons of the school, as far as could be learned, and his resignation seems to have been voluntary.

The United States mail box, heretofore mentioned, was put up at the depot on Friday afternoon by F. W. Schuerenberg for the convenience of people who live over in the Fourth ward, and who do not care to come all the way down to mail their letters at the postoffice or to stand around the depot until train-time. Postmaster Dwyer deserves great credit for the promptness with which he responded to the request of citizens for the box.

DURING the heavy rains of Sunday and Monday the fish pond of Mr. T. W. Morris, a mile and a half west of the city, was washed away, and Mr. Morris had the misfortune to lose all of his fine fish. He had just recently received two thousand German carps and put into the pond, and these besides many others were all lost. Mr. Morris took great pride in his fish pond and had been engaged for the past eight or ten years in cultivating his fish and stocking up the pond. His loss is enough to dishearten anybody.

MENTION was made of the fact that Messrs. Reichardt & Seelhorst had purchased the other day a small tract of land out of the old J. T. Norris homestead, near the compress, for \$450. They have since been offered \$750 for it and refused. Their object in purchasing the land was to erect a powder magazine on it and to establish a tin factory, and it is for the purpose of arranging to start the factory that Mr. Adolph Seelhorst has gone to New York. Who says that Brenham is not on a boom?

On last Monday Haubelt's band went to Belton to furnish music for a dance. While there Mr. Ed Haubelt put up at the Central hotel, of which Mrs. M. McWhirter is the proprietress. When he went to retire at night he took thirty dollars out of his pockets and put it under his pillow. Next day he left for home, forgetting the money and leaving it under the pillow. He mourned the money as lost, and was a happy man Thursday evening when he received an express envelope containing the money. He will advise all his friends who go to Belton to stop at the Central.

The Board of Trade.

EDITOR BANNER: I beg to be heard while I make a suggestion which if carried out will doubtless do good. We have just organized a Board of Trade composed of many of our best business men. This organization will prove to be a most potent factor in promoting the growth of Brenham and Washington county. The admission fee into the Board will likely be fixed for all except charter members at \$50. There are very many young men in the city who are anxious to work for its prosperity, but who will hesitate to join the Board of Trade for two reasons.

1st. The admission fee is a little more money than the average young man just starting life can afford to invest in this way.

2nd. They will not be anxious to connect themselves with an organization composed of older men, with matured judgments. They would be somewhat embarrassed, and would hesitate perhaps to give an opinion among a class of men so much older and more experienced than themselves.

Now then I suggest that this class of young men having the welfare of the city at heart, and willing to work and contribute according to their ability to promote its growth and development, form themselves into a young men's commercial club and devise their own plans and schemes to accomplish this greatly desired end. We have scores of broad minded, enterprising young men who would render an organization of this kind very effective.

Ninety per cent of all good results to every community and country comes from organized effort, and now that we are decidedly on the up grade, let us have organized concerted effort all along the line and my word for it good and nothing but good will come of it.

HARRY HAYNES.

ALTHOUGH it didn't involve a heavy deal or a big amount of money a recent real estate transaction will show how values have gone up in Brenham. Within the present month Messrs. Swearingen and Garrett, assignees of the late firm of Bassett & Bassett, sold a lot near the old Shropshire place, on East Main street, to Mr. W. A. Wood, for three hundred dollars. Mr. Wood has since sold the same piece of property to Mr. Henry J. Morgan for four hundred and fifty dollars, or half as much again as he gave for it.

WALTER NOBLES, the colored barber, whose property adjoins that of Mr. Albert Werner, in the southwest part of town, was offered three thousand dollars for his place on Friday and declined to accept the proposition. There have been several other recent offerings in real estate.

MR. WALTER, the scenic artist, is engaged in decorating the large plate glass front at Heber Stone's bank with beautiful sign lettering.

"MANITOU" GINGER CHAMPAGNE, a most delightful and refreshing drink for ladies and children. H. Fisher, Agent, Brenham, Texas. Samples free.

The Brenham Field Artillery and Light Guard have received invitations from Belleville to attend the firemen's manifest at that place, which takes place on the 7th proximo. They have not decided yet whether they will attend.

DRINK LEMONADE made with the favorite "Manitou" natural water and get something delicious. H. Fisher, Agent, Brenham, Texas. Samples free.

The closing amateur theatrical entertainment of the Germania Social club will take place to-night, and as it is the last of the season there will no doubt be a big crowd in attendance.

"MANITOU" CORRECTS the stomach after "celebrating" too much. H. Fisher, Agent, Brenham, Texas. Samples free.

Messrs. Fisher & Weis received on Friday thirty-three fine corned beefs from County Commissioner Gus Broesche, of Burton, which averaged over a thousand pounds.

For California canned and evaporated fruits, Succotash, Okra and Tomato, Corn, Dried Butter Beans, Navy Beans, Chilled Beans, Grits, go to SLOAN & HODGE.

SINCE the local subscription list to fund to erect a monument to the late Jefferson Davis was opened in this city about one hundred and ten dollars have been subscribed. The list is still open at Mr. Boling Eldridge's store, and everybody feeling so disposed is invited to call and subscribe something.

For Plum Pudding, Clarke & Combs Fruit Jams, Jumbles, Golden Crown Preserved Coconut, Grated and Sliced Pine Apples, Asparagus, and Boston Baked Beans. Go to SLOAN & HODGE.

WHILE Saturday is apparently the biggest day for trade in the week, a merchant remarked to the reporter that it was generally the poorest. Simply because the town people keep at home on Saturdays and the great bulk of the crowd from the country are colored people, who take possession of the streets and create a stir and bustle but do no trading.

A Sound Legal Opinion.

E. Brainbridge Munday Esq., County Attorney, Clay county Texas, says: "Have used Electric Bitters with most happy results. My brother also was very low with malarial fever and jaundice, but was cured by timely use of this medicine. Am satisfied Electric Bitters saved his life."

Mr. D. L. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave, Ky., adds a like testimony, saying: He positively believes he would have died had it not been for Electric Bitters.

This great remedy will ward off as well as cure all malarial diseases, and for all liver, kidney and stomach disorders stands unequalled.

PROF. RICHARD HUBERER, who had charge of the public school out at Zionsville during the term just closed received notice on Saturday that the trustees of the school at Pleasant Hill had just had a meeting and elected him teacher for the coming year. The professor has not tendered his acceptance yet.

Broken's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by R. E. Luhn.

COUNTY CLERK BYRNES and Deputy Krug have been engaged for two weeks past indexing the records of deeds, devoting an hour or two each day to the task.

Their Business Booming.

Probably no one thing has caused such a revival of trade at R. E. Luhn's Drug Store as their giving away to their customers so many free trial bottles of Dr. King's new Discovery for Consumption. Their trade is simply enormous in this very valuable article from the fact that it always cures and never disappoints. Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup and all throat and lung diseases quickly cured. You can test it before buying by getting a trial bottle free, large size \$1. Every bottle warranted.

The wife of Editor H. Muller, of the Volksbote, presented her liege lord with a son and heir on Saturday morning.

For Whittaker Hams, Pure Lard, Dried Beef, Breakfast Bacon. Go to SLOAN & HODGE.

HEAVY washouts are reported on the Santa Fe road up about Gainesville and it will probably be at least a week before through traffic is resumed. The trains at present only go as far as and come from Temple.

For Oat Meal, Pearl Wheat, Nudene Flakes, Tapioca, Corn Starch, Turners Extracts, Spices, Dozier Crackers, Cakes and Jellies. Go to SLOAN & HODGE.

BRENNHAM is certainly undergoing a change. There is a certain spirit of enthusiasm and an air of confidence about the people such as never had been observed here before.

PROF. H. J. PUTNEY of Austin is in the city tuning pianos. Mr. Putney comes highly recommended by Prof. Brown of Chappell Hill and Prof. G. H. Rowe of Baylor College. He will visit Brenham at regular intervals. Get him to take care of your piano. Headquarters at J. McFarlands.

THERE were a lot of horse traders in the city on Saturday from Gay Hill and Independence.

The blood is the source of health. Keep it pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is peculiar in its curative power.

A BRIDGE recently constructed by Mr. Louis Sterne over a stream on the Nelsonville road was washed out by the heavy rains and was swept down into Mill creek.

For Olive Oil, Pickles, Horse Radish, Tomato Catsup, Citron, Mayonnaise Sauce, L. & P. Sauce, Brook Trout, Sardines, Oysters, Salmon, Deviled and Potted Ham, Lunch Tongue, go to SLOAN & HODGE.

THE Dallas young ladies to whom the complimentary dance was to have been given on Saturday evening at Eldridge hall did not arrive, but the dance was held anyway.

Do not suffer ignorance in your family, when you can subscribe to that Great Educator, the Modern newspaper. The Times-Democrat is the best. It has the largest circulation.

For Pure Milk-Shake and Lemonade, go to E. PITSCHMANN & CO.

Try Fairbank's White Clover leaf hay, for sale by H. FISHER.

LUNCH of all kind at the Santa Fe Saloon.

Doesn't Want It Again.

In response to a direct question from the reporter of the BANNER Mr. N. E. Dever stated in positive terms on Saturday that he would not be a candidate this time before the democratic convention or before the people for renomination or reelection to this present position which he holds as sheriff of Washington county. Mr. Dever has held the office for the past three or four terms and the county never had an officer who served it better in any capacity. He retires with the good will of everybody and his decision not to become a candidate again is not because he has been made to feel that he is not wanted in the office any longer. He would still be the most popular man for the position if he should desire to hold on to it. It has been known, or at least rumored on the quiet for some time that Mr. Dever would not again be a candidate, and several names have been already mentioned in connection with the office as his successor, among which are those of Mr. James H. Goodlett, of this city, Mr. Joe Routt, of Chappell Hill, and Deputy Sheriff Dick Robertson and Col. Tom Evans, of the Washington precinct.

DR. BOB WILKIN will locate at Chappell Hill to practice his profession.

All who own Mules and Horses, take notice:

For six weeks we have had an average of from four to six sick mules daily with bots and colic on my plantation, in Fort Bend county. We used the "Bots and Colic Specific" put up by C. F. Jensen & Co., Burton, Texas, and lost only one mule. COL. L. A. ELLIS, Austin, Tex.

This is the best medicine for bots and colic on record. C. W. REDDICK, Manager of L. A. Ellis & Son's plantation. Remedies advertised in this paper put up by C. F. Jensen & Co., Burton, Texas, are for sale by Jos. Tristram.

Lord Randolph Churchill is blessed with an American wife. He, too, has the habit of plain speech, possibly absorbed from numerous curtain lectures.

Get your Horses and Mules in good shape by using Jensen's Condition Powders.

An English literary statistician has discovered that of 562 heroines in last year's novels 372 were blondes and 190 brunettes.

Save your Animal—Give Jensen's Bots and Colic Specific. Never fails.

A London woman announces that she is about to open a barber shop where all the barbers shall be women, and the newspapers speak favorably of the scheme.

Save your Chickens by feeding them Jensen's Chicken Powder. Warranted.

Gen. Lew Wallace has applied for a pension to which he is entitled for service in the Mexican War. He does not need the money himself, and he has announced that he will give it to the Montgomery County Orphans' Home.

It stands the test—Chicken Powder in tin cans put up by C. F. Jensen & Co., Burton, Texas, makes hens lay, prevents and cures all diseases. Guaranteed, 25 cents a box.

The Duchess d'Aosta received from her husband's estate \$250,000, with jewels, pictures, etc., valued at \$200,000 more. Besides this the Duchess and her child have a state allowance of \$80,000 a year.

ANNUAL RE-UNION.

Members of Co. E, 16th Texas Infantry, Walker's Division, will hold their annual re-union at Palm's Garden, Pleasant Hill, on Saturday May 3rd, 1890. Special invitation extended to all members of the Division.

THE COMMITTEE.

New York millers and millwrights will demand \$3 50 and nine hours on April 1.

Liquors! Liquors! Liquors!

Just received two car loads liquors, consisting of Brandies, Gins, Blackberry Brandy, French Cognac Whiskey—all grades—in barrels, half barrels and 10 and 5 gallon kegs. Also all imported Wines, Liebfrauenmilch, Royal Schwarzbeger Brauneburg Ausbruch, Nodhanauer Ziltzinger & Co. Zwetchebauer, Rudolph Bader Danzig Bitters, Peacock Gin, J. A. Gilka, Schutzen strasse, No. 9 Berlin and all imported and domestic Bitters.

F. KRENTZLIN, Wholesale Liquor Dealer.

Bonanza Mackay is disposing of his various mining properties on the Pacific slope that are said to be worth about \$10,000,000, and expects henceforth to make his permanent residence in New York.

Two Doctors Failed.

Mr. R. K. Greenless, Randall, Ark., writes: No prescription ever effected more than a temporary suppression of the chills on myself. I was told to try your Hughes' tonic; concluded to give it a trial. One bottle made a complete cure."

Prepared by R. A. Robinson & Co., Wholesale Druggists, Louisville, Ky. Sold by Druggists.

There are too many people in this country who think their goslings are eagles.

Young women are frequently supposed to have consumption, when the cause of bad health is leucorrhoea, whites or some other female trouble. The system needs iron and uterine tonics, all of which are combined in Dr. Dromgoole's English Female Bitters. One bottle taken according to directions will convince you of the truth of this statement. If your druggist don't keep it, write Dr. J. P. Dromgoole, Louisville, Ky.

Equal suffrage sounds better in theory than it looks in practice.

Nothing better than C. F. Jensen & Co.'s Condition Powders for Horses and Mules, affected with worms, grease, swelled legs, coughs and influenza—in tin cans—try it.

Pio Pico, the Mexican Governor of California, is a pauper at the age of ninety years. He was once very wealthy.

European Steamship Business.

Those who contemplate a trip to Europe or wish to prepay the passage of relatives or friends from any part of Europe to any point on or via the line of the Santa Fe route will do well to call on or address J. G. Sloan, G. C. & S. F. By, agent at Brenham station, before negotiating or purchasing elsewhere. Mr. Sloan is prepared to quote lowest rates and furnish through tickets of all classes from or to England, Ireland, France, Germany, Switzerland, Austria, Norway, Sweden, &c., by most direct and quickest Steamship lines. Mr. Sloan will at all times take pleasure in fully answering any inquiries relative to railroad and steamship business.

BOARDERS WANTED!

The undersigned is prepared to accommodate a limited number of boarders on reasonable terms. Table supplied with as good as the market affords. Board with or without rooms. Apply to Mrs. Jas. E. Slater, Peabody House.

A CARD.

We have this day associated ourselves for the purpose of doing a general banking business in the City of Brenham under the firm name and style of Heber Stone, banker. Mr. H. K. Harrison will be cashier. With ample capital we can promise our friends all reasonable accommodations.

HEBER STONE, Mrs. A. M. GIDDINGS, February 24, 1890.

Tin and Galvanized Iron Work.

Tin-roofing, Guttering, Repairing, Galvanized Flues, Galvanized Iron Water Tanks, Plumbing, Galvanized Iron Cornice work. Dealers in Corrugated Iron and Black Diamond Felt Roofing. All orders receive prompt attention.

REICHHARDT & SEELHORST, Hardware Merchants.

SPRING MILLINERY.

Call and see our Pretty new Spring and Summer Hats, Ribbons, Flowers, Ruchings, &c. We have a beautiful line of goods at all prices. Receiving each week latest novelties in patterns. Will take pleasure in showing them and guarantee first-class work as to trimming. Next door to Sloan & Hodge.

MRS. MATTIE PRESSLEY, MISS BECK KING.

Liquors! Liquors!

Just received one car load liquors, consisting of Alcohol, brandy, gin, blackberry brandy, whiskey—all grades—in barrels, half barrels and in 5 and 10 gallon kegs. H. FISHER, Wholesale Liquor Dealer.

Millet, Oats, Bran. One car load of each just received and for sale by H. FISHER.

Corn Fed Beef.

Our markets are now supplied every day with the finest corn fed beef, the fattest mutton and pork to be had in the state.

FISHER & WEIS.

Merchant's Exchange Saloon, noted and renowned all over the State of Texas for Pure Old Straight Whiskey, Wines of all kinds and Cigars Primo Buffalo. Shall be happy to see you when in Brenham to test the superior quality of my Whiskey and truth of this assertion.

W. H. MURPHY, Southeast cor. Courthouse Square.



Dr. Baird's Fever Cure,

Dr. Baird's Fever Capsules, 50c, will cure any case of Chills, Fever, &c., or money refunded. Get them coated, pleasant to take. Ask dealers to show them to you. Dr. Baird's Liver Pills (sugar coated), one pill a day; mild and sure in their action on the liver. Dr. Baird's Screw Worm, "Dead Shot," kills screw worms in stock instantaneously, easily applied to a deep seated wound, healing and prevents the flies from annoying the wound; one bottle will kill the worms on 25 head of stock. All stockmen delighted with it; 50c and guaranteed. Dr. Baird's family medicines are for sale by J. Tristram, Haubelt Bros., Schmidt Bros., and J. H. Meyer, city; and all merchants in the country.

NOTICE IN PROBATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Washington county—Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cause to be published for 20 days in the Brenham Banner, a newspaper published in Washington county, the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To all persons interested in the estate of Frank Kellum, deceased: Wm. Krueger, administrator, has filed in the County Court of Washington county, an application for resignation as administrator and an exhibit of the condition of the estate of Frank Kellum, deceased, which will be heard at the next term of the County Court of said County, commencing the 2nd Monday in May, 1890, at the courthouse thereof, in the city of Brenham, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, if they see proper. HEREIN FAIL NOT, under penalty of the law, and of this writ made due return. Issued the 21st day of April, 1890. WITNESS, J. M. Byrnes, Clerk of said court, and the seal thereof, at office, in the city of Brenham, 21st day of April, 1890. J. M. Byrnes, Clerk of County Court of Washington County. Seal. By A. M. Krug, Deputy. I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Citation, now in my hands. N. E. DEVER, Sheriff. By D. E. TRAGUE, Deputy.



DR. DROMGOOLE'S ENGLISH Female Bitters

A Powerful Uterine Tonic and Female Regulator, for the Cure of all Female Complaints and Irregularities. For sale by all druggists. "Family Medical Advisor" mailed Free on application to J. P. DROMGOOLE & CO., Louisville, Ky.

OLD McBRAY, OLD CROW WHISKEYS At O. K. SALOON.

"THE ROAD TO HEAVEN."

A WONDERFUL BOOK.

The Road to Heaven, A Golden Casket of Unique, Brilliant and Beautiful Christian Treasures, gathered from the Richest Mines of Religion, Science and Philosophy; Richly Embellished with a Superb Gallery of Royal Steel Plate Engravings.—Globe Bible Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa. This magnificent literary production represents a Superb, Unique and most remarkable New Book. The author, whose mind is strong in imagination, happy in word painting, sprinkles the glittering pages of this unparalleled work with the most choice and beautiful gems of thought, jeweled with all that is Great, Good, Pure and Noble, in the growing freshness of living reality.

When he writes of God and the Soul, of Heaven and its ineffable bliss, he touches heights of insurpassable magnificence that make you feel like Moore's Peri, as if you stood looking through the bars of the "Pearly Gates." Though he leads to mountain heights, he has also the faintest dells of restful and tender experiences, full of heart's ease and Violets where the simplest minds and quietest natures may rest and drink sweet draughts from the River of God's Love.

Through the whole book rings the happy laughter of cheerful Christianity and Moral Anecdotes, thick as stars that flick the frosty blue of winter's midnight sky, shine out on every page. These Anecdotes, fresh, thrilling and delightful, dealing as they do with every phase of Human Experience, brings out the Author's meaning most beautifully. They are carefully gathered from every History and Language and scattered through the book like Pearls on a Royal Robe. In fact, the entire book is a wonder of verbal and interest, such as was never seen before.

This magnificent volume, comprising over 700 octavo pages, is printed from large, clear new type, suited to every degree of vision, on extra fine super calendered paper of admirable finish. It is elaborately illustrated with the most charming Steel Plate Engravings, designed and engraved by Artists of world renown, at an expense of many thousand dollars. It is substantially bound in the most sumptuous manner.

This very valuable work is sold by subscription only, and Mr. E. Pitschmann, who is the authorized agent for this locality, is now canvassing for it.

We cordially commend it to our readers.